

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, MAR. 9, 1908.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:19 a. m. and sets 6:52 p. m. High water at 4:30 and 2:10 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section clearing tonight. Tuesday fair; light to fresh northerly winds.

## DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Mr. John Q. A. Crupper, an old and well-known resident, died last night. The deceased was 80 years old. He was born in Paris, Fauquier county, and came to Alexandria in 1847, where he had since resided. Mr. Crupper was one of the oldest employees of the Southern Railway, and during the past half a century he had filled the positions of conductor, engineer and yardmaster. Of late years he had been the flagman at Cameron and Henry streets. Mr. Crupper was a son of the late Robert Crupper, who in by-gone years was a prominent merchant of this city. He is survived by a widow and one son, Mr. Joseph L. Crupper.

Mrs. Annie S. Schlichting, wife of Mr. Henry Schlichting, died last night at her home, 123 south Fairfax street, after a protracted illness. The deceased was 45 years of age, and besides her husband she is survived by seven children—one son and six daughters.

Mrs. Elvira Fletcher, widow of John J. Fletcher, died at her home, 129 north St. Asaph street, last night. She had been ill for some time. Her remains will be forwarded to that place for interment.

Mrs. Lillie L. Burton died at Roseville on Saturday, aged 48 years. She was a sister of Miss Alice Craddock, of this city.

Percy Breen, thirteen years of age, only child of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Maggie Breen, died yesterday morning at his parents' residence, 302 Queen street. The deceased had suffered from the past few days from a cerebral spinal meningitis. The parents have the sincere sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances in their affliction.

The funeral of Garbutt Pulman, who died Thursday at George Washington University Hospital, Washington, took place from the residence, 403 south Washington street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, officiated. The interment was in Sharon cemetery, Fairfax county.

## CAR DERAILED.

The trailer of an electric trolley, of the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway, jumped the track at Twelfth and C streets northwest, Washington, about 8:20 yesterday afternoon. One passenger, W. H. Hantzman, was slightly injured, and several others were cut by flying glass.

After leaving the track, the car ran a distance of fifty feet before it came in contact with the curbing, which stopped it. The lamp post at the intersection of Twelfth and C streets was snapped off at the pavement, and had it not been for the curbing it is likely that the car would have crashed into a building on the corner. The front wheels and fully two-thirds of the body of the car passed over the curbing.

Passengers on the car became panic-stricken and some climbed upon seats and through windows in an effort to escape. Several women and children were injured during the stampede.

The tracks at Twelfth and C streets are sunk into the street, and it is thought that this caused the accident. When the train reached the curve at Twelfth and C streets the motorman attempted to slacken its speed, and in doing so, it is thought, snapped the coupling, which carried the rear car. The front car proceeded on the track, but the rear coach left the rails and crashed into the curbing.

## THE REVIVAL MEETING.

The revival services which have been in progress for two weeks in Washington Street Methodist Episcopal Church South closed last night. Rev. D. Vance Price, of North Carolina, who assisted Rev. Mr. Bulla during the series, preached with great acceptability. He is a man of amiable spirit and fine intellectual force. Thirty-five persons made profession of faith in Christ during the meeting. Mr. Bulla announced yesterday that he would receive into the church next Sunday all candidates for membership. Mr. Price left for his home this morning.

## GAMES.

The Washington polo team defeated the Alexandria team, by a score 3 to 1, in a very spirited contest in this city on Saturday night at the Armory Hall.

In a fast game the Alexandria Athletic Club basketball team Saturday night defeated the team representing Troop F, Fort Myer, by a score of 24 to 9. The game took place at Schuler's Hall, and was witnessed by a large number of spectators. Announcement is made that the local team will, Saturday night next, play a game with Govan's Young Men's Christian Association at the same hall.

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Heliga Persson and Suiro Simon, two sailors from the bark Asia, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined \$5 each.

William and Olie Hunter, colored, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, were fined \$10 each.

A white man, charged with assault, was dismissed, the complainant failing to appear.

## ACCIDENT TO FURNACE.

The alarm of fire shortly before twelve o'clock Sunday night was caused by an accident to a furnace at the Belle Isle Bottle Works. A brick occurred to the bottom of the furnace, causing the molten mass to run out. The wood-work around the furnace was consumed, but the fire was so confined by the fire department that no damage resulted to the building.

Mr. John Riba, of Virginia, Ia., says: "I have been selling Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for about a year and they give me better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Broken lots of Ladies' Fine Shoes at about half price. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Sixty delegates, representing Alexandria city and the counties comprising the Eighth Congressional district of Virginia to select two delegates and two alternates to the State republican convention which will meet at Lynchburg April 9, and two delegates and two alternates to the Chicago convention, assembled in Seaport Hall this afternoon.

H. P. Dodge, of Manassas, district chairman, called the convention to order, with J. W. Grigg, of Leesburg, as secretary.

After the roll call, which showed nearly every delegate present, the chairman announced that some counties had sent double delegations and each of such delegates would be entitled to half a vote.

Nominations were then made for permanent chairman of the convention and the names of W. H. Egghorn, of Culpeper; Dr. F. M. Brookes, of Fairfax; and B. A. Henson, of Loudoun, were placed in nomination. The last-named declined to allow his name to go before the convention, and the balloting had just started when, by unanimous consent, the name of Dr. Brookes was withdrawn and Mr. Egghorn was chosen unanimously.

In taking the chair Mr. Egghorn said the republican party has nothing to be ashamed of and much to be proud of, and stands today ready to carry out the principles laid down by Lincoln, Grant, Garfield, McKinley and Roosevelt. He paid a high tribute to State Chairman C. Bascom Slem, scored the legislature for taking one county from the Fifth district and adding to the Ninth district in order to save the latter district from the republican column and praised the 27 democratic members of the Legislature who refused to vote for the confirmation of Judge Rhea. Mr. Egghorn said this was significant, and means that it is only a question of time before Virginia will be a debatable ground.

The chair announced that there were no contesting delegations, and the only committee necessary was one on resolutions. The following members of this committee were named by the various delegations: Alexandria city, J. A. Egghorn; Alexandria county, C. J. Sims; Culpeper, Jackson Egghorn; Fauquier, E. L. Child; Fairfax, E. S. L. Burton; King George, G. Beckwith; Loudoun, W. H. Silcott; Orange, M. W. Carter; Prince William, H. P. Dodge; Stafford, M. K. Lowery.

This committee elected Mr. Dodge chairman and after a brief conference reported the following resolutions which were adopted as a whole:

We, the republicans of the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, assembled in the city of Alexandria, March 9, 1908, do resolve:

First, That we desire to express our sorrow at the death of Hon. Campbell Slem, whom we all learned to love and admire, who, by his sword was drawn in war or in time of peace, fighting for the principles of the party with whom he cast his lot, believing that the fostering of these principles was for the interest of his people and country.

Second, That while we deplore his loss, we compliment the people of the Ninth District on their good judgment in nominating and electing Hon. C. B. Slem, as his successor in Congress, by unprecedented majority.

Third, We take pleasure in a hearty endorsement of Hon. C. B. Slem as our State Chairman, and the manner in which he has managed party affairs, and pledge to him our future aid and support.

Fourth, We desire to express renewed confidence in the principles of the republican party and its doctrines, as enunciated and championed by our matchless leader, Theodore Roosevelt.

Fifth, We hereby express our desire and wish that the delegates selected by this convention to represent the Eighth Congressional District in the National Convention to be held at Chicago, vote with the majority of Virginia delegates for any man whom they believe will carry out, as far as possible, the policies of the President, believing that these policies are for the best interest of the country, and are endorsed by a large majority of the American people.

Sixth, We endorse Hon. H. Martin as member of the National committee.

Also we endorse Hon. C. B. Slem as State Chairman.

Mr. J. R. Grayson, of Fauquier, then offered the following resolution:

It is with profound sorrow that we have just learned of the sudden death of Mr. Crupper, father of Joseph L. Crupper. We desire to express our deep sympathy for Mr. Crupper in this hour of his bereavement, and request that a copy of this resolution be sent to his family.

The result of the vote for delegates to the Chicago convention was as follows: Joseph L. Crupper, of Alexandria, 55; Samuel Diener, of Culpeper, 54; J. W. B. Shamate, of Fauquier, 17, and R. R. Farr, of Fairfax, 10.

The two first-named were declared the delegates and W. H. Silcott, of Loudoun, and A. B. Casselman, of Alexandria, were unanimously elected alternates.

Judge Shamate, of Fauquier, was unanimously elected elector for the district; H. P. Dodge was re-elected district chairman; and for member of the State executive committee Wm. B. King, his incumbent, received 51 votes, and Jos. L. Crupper, 10—that number of delegates insisting upon voting for Mr. Crupper in spite of the fact that it was positively announced that he was not a candidate for the position.

Five members of the State republican committee were elected as follows: Edward Walton, of Fairfax; B. A. Henson, of Loudoun; E. L. Childs, of Fauquier; William Brown, of Loudoun; O. D. Gray, of Alexandria county.

A motion to postpone the selection of a candidate for Congress until not later than the last Monday in August was carried.

The convention then adjourned.

Several delegates present were prepared to vote for Mr. J. L. Crupper if a nomination for Congress had been made.

## THE CHURCHES.

Yesterday was a bright and mild day and the services at the several churches were attended by fairly large congregations. Rev. D. Vance Price, of North Carolina, who for the past two weeks has been conducting revivals at the Methodist Episcopal Church South, concluded the services at night. Rev. J. M. Sheridan, D. D., president of the M. P. conference, occupied the pulpit at the Methodist Protestant Church. At the Baptist Church at night Rev. G. W. M. Christ, assistant pastor of St. John's Church, Georgetown, preached an interesting sermon.

## ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

The services at St. Paul's Church tomorrow night will be under the auspices of the Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Rev. W. H. Burkhardt, rector of St. James Church, Leesburg, will preach. The music will be by a boys' choir led by Miss Katie Smoot and Miss Janie Ballenger. The offertory will be sung by Mrs. Sherman Fowler.

Money can be saved by buying your shoes at Marshall's, 422 King street.

## THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

The ladies who have for the last five years managed the affairs of this most worthy organization will tomorrow night ask the City Council to make an additional appropriation of two hundred and fifty dollars for "Corporation Branch" of the Co-operative Charities. This branch is a special committee which expends the city appropriations and was created at the instance or encouragement of the late George L. Simpson, when Mayor. Prior to 1903 groceries, wood &c were given out by the overseer of poor, and in July 1903 Mr. Simpson in a message calling attention to the unsatisfactory condition as well as extravagant manner of distributing the city appropriation, among other comments, said: "Under existing system of municipal distribution there are many and varied concomitants, and the system itself instead of being an aid to the deserving poor, is oftentimes an incentive to reprehensible laziness. The eleemosynary adjuncts to the churches in our city obtain results incomparably superior to those obtained through municipal management, and we should either select the methods of these societies as examples, or we should originate ideas of our own for greater protection of the genuinely needy."

The suggestions of this message were carried into effect, and Council has each year made appropriations, and in addition to a large saving in money, a matter of greater importance is the systematic work of the ladies. Their first report said: "The constant endeavor has been to afford assistance to the worthy only. Each case has been carefully investigated, and in most cases the applicants have been visited. Where applicants were able they were required to appear in person and receive the assistance provided. This arrangement enabled the committee to see and know upon whom the city was bestowing its charity." This work has not been of a character to make anyone envious of the ladies who have given so much of their time to it. Their only compensation is that in a way they helped to lighten the burdens of those less fortunate than themselves. That all have been well done finds its proof from the public records. We quote, in comparison, expenditures under the old system and the new for ten years. There was expended for groceries and wood years ending May 31st, 1899—1903, old system \$10, 85 74. Council has appropriated years 1904—1908, for associated charities \$5,550. These figures speak for themselves. Last year the City Council appropriated \$1,250 this year the association has had only \$1,000.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. J. R. Caton has returned from Richmond, where the legislature has almost completed its work. He says if the conference report on the appropriation bill is not agreed to by tomorrow the matter will probably go over till the members re-assemble on the 23d instant to act in the Judge Blackstone matter.

Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, conducted the services and preached at St. John's Church, in Georgetown, last night, exchanging pulpits with Rev. G. W. H. Troop, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ticer have returned from their wedding trip, after visiting the midwinter exposition at Jacksonville, Fla., St. Augustine, Fla., and other southern cities, and are now at home at 418 south Fairfax street.

Mrs. Edgar Carpenter is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Upshur Nottingham, at Eastville, Va.

The engagement is announced of Miss Julia Muschette, of West River, Md., and Mr. Joseph Harris Franklin, formerly of Alexandria, but now of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Goldsmith will be at home on Sunday, March 15, from 8 to 10 o'clock, in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Myrtle, to Mr. Milton Kronheim, of Washington.

Mr. George A. Palf, superintendent of the American Wire and Nail Works at Sharon, Pa., is visiting his brother, Mayor Palf, in this city.

## GRAND JURY.

The grand jury of the Corporation Court consisting of Messrs. W. B. Smoot, John B. Padgett, D. H. Appich, George D. Hopkins, Henry Strauss, S. L. Monroe, Charles F. Waller and T. C. Howard—met this morning. In his charge Judge Barley, among other things, called attention to the urgent need of the immediate inspection of all buildings in the city used for public gatherings. The judge suggested that all doors to such places should be hung so as to open outward. He also said that the jury could have the services of the City Engineer in the work of inspection. Judge Barley called special attention to buildings in which moving picture shows are conducted.

He said that he personally knew nothing about such places, and could not say whether the proprietors had taken proper precautions to insure safety in case of fire. The authorities, however, should see that they had. The jury was instructed to report not later than Wednesday.

The grand jury returned indictments against Frank Parker, Walter Smith, Fred Hicks and Edward Drowns for grand larceny; Walter Smith, Edward Drowns and Fred Hicks for breaking and entering a slaughter house; C. H. Chaney for misdemeanor; Edward Drowns, Fred Hicks and Wilbert Cook for felonious and malicious shooting; Geo. Payne and John Lewis for breaking and entering a storehouse.

The grand jury was then adjourned till tomorrow evening at 3 o'clock and several witnesses have been summoned for that time.

Van H. Manning jr., qualified as administrator of the estate of his father, the late Van H. Manning, sr.

Court adjourned till tomorrow.

## COMMITTEE MEETING.

The Eighth district democratic congressional committee met this evening at Manassas to fix a date for a democratic primary to elect a candidate for Congress. At 3:45 o'clock the date had not been decided upon but it is generally believed that June 9th will be the day fixed.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

R. H. Porter has sold to Jonathan Matthews, a house and lot on the south side of Princess street between Fayette and Payne.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Harry J. Cooksey and Cora J. Bauckman, both of A-burno.

The weather yesterday was fair and mild. It became cooler during the night, and this morning rain followed with occasional spits of snow. The wind has been from the northeast.

A regular meeting of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, will be held tonight, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be nominated.

Mr. Edwin R. Fewell, the well-known pianist of Washington, will be heard in several selections at the meeting of M. D. Course Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, tonight in Lee Camp Hall.

The Old Dominion Boat Club is making arrangements for a regatta to be held here May 30 next. Several clubs will be asked to participate. The club has completed arrangements for the improvement of its boathouse.

Messrs. Botts and Berry of Midland, Fauquier county, have received the reward offered by the Alexandria Steam Laundry for the recovery of the horse and buggy recently carried off by Cornelius Bryant, the youth now in custody in this city.

An Italian girl who was in litigation here recently, and who left here for Council Bluffs, has with the man who accompanied her to this city, returned to Alexandria. The couple, it will be remembered, were wanted in Council Bluffs, where the man was charged with abduction. The case against him, it is said, has been dropped.

Fried Cans 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. mar 31 f

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Some broken sizes in Hess shoes \$5 and \$6 grades, \$2.50 get them, if you are quick. Marshall, 422 King street.

## NOTICE.

To lot owners of Shooter's Hill section—George Washington Park. Letters have been sent to each lot purchaser in Shooter's Hill section of George Washington Park, and the directors urgently request that the same be answered at once, so that the matter may be closed with owners of the property and the allotments made so that the remaining lots can be disposed of. Address: WASHINGTON MONUMENT ASSOCIATION, 113 south Fairfax street.

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50 cents

10 Gas Portable or Drop Lights, ranging in price from \$3 to \$10. Sale price one half.

50 Night, or Bed-room, lamps worth 50 cents each. Sale price 35 cents each.

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## For Rent

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\$18. No. 414 south Lee street, 6 rooms and bath.

\$13.50. No. 608 south Patrick, 7 rooms

\$13. No. 10 Odell's Row, north Washington street, extended.

\$12. No. 1827 Duke street, 6 rooms.

\$12. No. 221 north Pitt street, 6 rooms.

\$12. No. 337 south Patrick street, 7 rooms and bath.

\$10.50. No. 213 north Payne street, 6 rooms, with water.

\$10. No. 500 Cameron street, 7 rooms.

\$9. No. 312 north Pitt street, 6 rooms

\$7. No. 621 south Patrick street, 6 rooms.

\$5. No. 306 Gibbon street.

A well-built two-story brick dwelling on south Lee street, near Wolfe street, containing six rooms and bath, in splendid condition and a good renter.

Two-story frame dwellings, 319 and 321 Commerce street, with large side lot, on Commerce street, running through to Prince street. Three cozy dwellings erected on this lot would rent quickly and prove a good investment.

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